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Filing Date	07/21/2003
First Named Inventor	JAMES KENNETH MCALPINE
Art Unit	3751
Examiner Name	PHILLIPS, CHARLES E.
Attorney Docket Number	MCAJ102CIP

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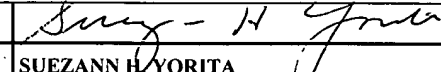
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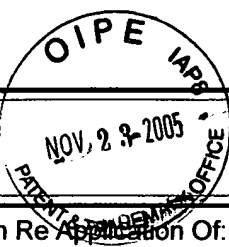
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Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
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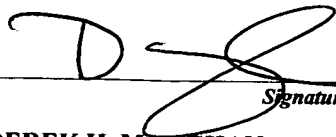
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